BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2005-63-C - ORDER NO. 2005-339

JUNE 17, 2005

IN RE: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. – Transit) ORDER GRANTING Traffic Tariff 2005-50.) REQUEST FOR) EXTENSION FOR) FILING REBUTTAL) TESTIMONY

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") on the request of ALLTEL South Carolina, Inc. ("ALLTEL" or "Company") for an extension of one (1) day to file the Company's rebuttal testimony regarding BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s transit traffic tariff filing.

Dates for filing testimony and exhibits in the present docket was set forth in letter, dated April 11, 2005, from the Executive Assistant to Commissioners/Sr. Technical Advisor of the Commission. By this letter, all parties filing rebuttal testimony were required to prefile the rebuttal testimony and exhibits on or before June 1, 2005. ALLTEL timely intervened in this proceeding and as a party of record; ALLTEL's rebuttal testimony was due on or before June 1, 2005.

ALLTEL, by letter from the Company's counsel, seeks an extension of one (1) day to file ALLTEL's testimony. ALLTEL asserts that its request for an extension is necessitated by an inadvertence on the Company's part to file its rebuttal testimony with

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the Commission by the due date, and therefore, ALLTEL's rebuttal testimony was filed

with the Commission on June 2, 2005. ALLTEL asserts, however, that the Company did

serve its rebuttal testimony on the parties to this proceeding on June 1, 2005. ALLTEL

requests that the Commission grant the Company an extension of one (1) day to prefile its

rebuttal testimony until June 2, 2005.

The Commission finds the request of ALLTEL reasonable, finds that the request

will not unduly prejudice any party, and therefore grants the request to extend the

prefiling date for the Company's rebuttal testimony and exhibits. We note that ALLTEL

prefiled the Company's rebuttal testimony with the Commission on June 2, 2005.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. ALLTEL South Carolina, Inc.'s request for a one (1) day extension in

which to prefile rebuttal testimony and exhibits is granted until June 2, 2005.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further order of the

Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

	/s/	
	Randy Mitchell, Chairman	
ATTEST:		
/s/ G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice Chairman	<u> </u>	
(SEAL)		